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SUBJECT: MURDER OF PRO-TITO CROATIAN IN NEW YORK

1. INFO FROM FBI IS THAT AT 8:30 AM, SEPT 28, 1978, ANTHONY CIJOJA, A PRO-TITO CROATIAN NOW A NATURALIZED US CITIZEN, WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY UNKNOWN ASSAILANT/S OUTSIDE HIS HOME, 49 SPRAIN VALLEY ROAD, SCARSDALE, NEW YORK.
2. CIJOJA WAS PRESIDENT OF A&M MACHINERY CORP AND ONE OF RECIPIENTS OF EXTORTION LETTER MAILED FROM GERMANY WHICH DEMANDED HE CONTRIBUTE MONEY TO CROATIAN LIBERATION FRONT. MOTIVATION FOR SHOOTING IS STILL UNDETERMINED. IT HAS BEEN REPORTED THAT CIJOJA WAS HAVING MARITAL PROBLEMS.
3. EARLY REPORT THAT OSMAN GASHI, MEMBER OF YUGOSLAV CONSULATE GENERAL IN NEW YORK, WHO RESIDES IN GREENWICH, CONNECTICUT, WAS VICTIM WAS MISTAKEN REPEAT GASHI WAS NOT VICTIM. YOUNG

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